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REISSUE APPLICATION DECLARATION BY THE INVENTOR

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I believe that I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or a joint inventor (if plural inventors are listed below) of the subject matter that is claimed in patent number 5,767,709, granted June 16, 1998, and for which a reissue patent is sought on the invention entitled:

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I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56.

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Errors upon which reissue is based are described as follows:

I have amended the specification, including the drawings, to correct errors therein.

I have added new claims 18 – 37 because I have recently come to believe that the "test mode" and "clock signal" limitations may render claims 1 – 17 unduly narrow.

All errors corrected in this reissue application arose without any deceptive intention on my part.

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